

Federal, State, and local licensing requirements; and cost differentials in different parts of the State.

RESOLVED, That the Commission shall report on a regular basis to the Governor and the General Assembly as to its findings; and be it further

RESOLVED, That copies of this Resolution be sent to the Governor, the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House.

Approved May 15, 1975.

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No. 52

(House Joint Resolution 58)

A House Joint Resolution concerning

Foster Parents Day

FOR the purpose of requesting the Governor to declare the second Sunday in April Foster Parents Day in recognition of the devoted men and women of the State of Maryland who give their time, money and hearts to disadvantaged children throughout the State.

WHEREAS, There is a need to emphasize the role of the devoted men and women of the State of Maryland who give their time, money and hearts to disadvantaged children throughout the State; and

WHEREAS, These children, as well as the entire State, should have an opportunity to demonstrate special gratitude for these men and women; and

WHEREAS, We honor our natural mothers and fathers on special Sundays, but there is no day set aside for the specific appreciation of Foster Parents; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Governor of Maryland is requested to designate the second Sunday in April as "Foster Parents Day"; and be it further

RESOLVED, That it is requested that "Foster Parents Day" be on the second Sunday of April in each calendar year hereafter; and be it further